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Choice Dairy Butter on Saturday at 30c.

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Every Night Average and
State Street, Blainmore,
Apply to MRS. JAS. PATER

Frank Meat Market

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Beef, Pork, Veal,

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Phone 36, - Frank, Alta

NOTICE

In the matter of the Court of Con-
firmation of the Town of Blainmore

TAKE NOTICE that His Honor,
Judge E. P. McNeill, Judge
of the District Court of the
District of Macleod, has ap-
pointed Thursday, the twenti-
eth day of April, 1916, at the
hour of ten o'clock in the fore-
noon, in the Council Chambers,
Blainmore, as the time and
place for holding the Court of
Confirmation to confirm the
Town of Blainmore.

W. M. JOYCE,
Secretary-Treasurer,
Town of Blainmore

Reward \$15.00

For information leading to the
arrest and conviction of any
person cutting, without author-
ity, dry or green timber on
our property.

McLAREN LUMBER CO.

It Pays To Advertise

The 192nd Battalion

During the first month, just
ended, a total of 300 men have
joined the 192nd battalion.
During the past week quite a
number of men have come to
town from different points in
B.C., and from all reports from
the men arriving here quite an
exodus will take place from the
different camps just as soon as
they break up. It is expected
that as soon as the logging in-
dustry closes up, at least an-
other hundred men will migrate
to Blainmore and help to swell
the ranks of the 192nd.

By all reports, it is not ex-
pected that the Stanturton
Hotel, at Frank, will be used as
a permanent barracks, as it
seems to be the intention of the
Military Department to concen-
trate all men at Sarscoe Camp
just as soon as the weather will
permit. At the present time
the various units are stationed
at the different places where
they enlisted, and it is consid-
ered that by gathering all men
under one camp better results
can be obtained. It is not like-
ly that a move will be made for
at least another six or seven
weeks, at which time the 192nd
battalion should be recruited to
full strength.

The officer commanding has
been assured that should he be
able to raise one-half the
strength around here, a suffi-
cient territory will be allotted
him in Calgary to enable the
battalion to complete. It is
also rumored that a full com-
pany in Calgary, consisting of
members of the Y.M.C.A., is
anxious to join, but owing to
transportation facilities, it will
be impossible to bring them
here, but it is hoped that as
soon as the move is made to
Calgary they will join en bloc.

Lieut.-Col. Lyon is highly
pleased with the showing so
far made, and expresses the
opinion that he has no reason
to doubt getting the required
number, although it is consid-
ered an impossibility to secure
a full quota from the small ter-
ritory of present allotment—from
Pincher Creek to Coleman.

Major Bagley, of the 192nd
Calgary, is not likely to join the
local regiment, as announced
recently, as it was considered
by the Calgary authorities that
his services were practically in-
dispensable there. Capt. Shaw,
who has been appointed to the
major, will arrive here about
Saturday.

Recent provisional appoint-
ments include F. Denison as
regimental quartermaster ser-
geant, and J. Pinkney as com-
pany quartermaster sergeant.
Other appointments are expect-
ed to be made in the course of
a few days.

His Last Request

"Pat," said the priest, "you're drunk,
and I'm going to make you stop this right
here. If you ever get drunk again I'll
turn you into a rat—yes, I will!"
If I don't see you I'll know about you
you get the name, and into a rat you go.
Now you mind that.

"Pat was very drunk that night, but the
next evening he came home even more
drunk than ever, kicked in the door,
and bludgeoned his wife before she
could defend herself.

"Don't be afraid, friend," said Pat,
"I've stood longer before drinking
a chair. I'm not going to hate you.
I want you to be kind to me tonight, but
I don't want to remember the days when
we were watered and when you loved me.
You know his never and all right.
If I get drunk again he turns me into
a rat. He didn't see me, but he knows
I'm drunk, and this night into a rat
go. But I want you to be kind to me
tonight, and watch me, and when you see
me getting little, and his hand growing
out on me, and me bludgeoning him,
if you ever loved me darling, for God's
sake keep your eye on the rat."—Bellevue

Commissioner Sowton

To Visit Blainmore

Commissioner Sowton, of the Salvation
Army, is to visit Blainmore on Friday
of next week and will address a public
meeting in the Baptist church in the
evening, commencing at 7:30 o'clock. The
chair will be occupied by Lieut. Col.
Lyon, of the 192nd Battalion, who will
be supported by Rev. W. T. Young, of
Frank; Capt. Vorge, Dr. MacDonald, J.
Charbonnier, J. F. Hunter, F. M. Fin-
ley and other local gentlemen.

The commissioner will be assisted by
Major Hay, of Edmonton; Staff Capt.
Peacock, of Winnipeg headquarters;
Capt. Hed and Lieut. Sampson, of Mac-
leod, and Capt. Acton and Lieut. Mun-
ro, of Calgary.

Commissioner Sowton has had a long
and varied experience in Salvation Army
circles, having spent 32 years as an offi-
cer. The greater part of his experience
has been in foreign lands. Scandinavian
and adjoining territories has been the
scene of much of the commissioner's ac-
tivities, he being in supreme command;
but the past seven years has seen the
commissioner at work in India, where
the work of the Army has made remark-
able developments. He comes to us now
from India and his personal motto is
"India Under Two Flags" has been
libly embodied by the public at various
cities in Canada West. He possesses a
fluency of speech combined with a pro-
ficient delivery. Crowded halls through-
out the West have sat with rapt atten-
tion to hear the commissioner's lectures
of the great triumph of Salvation Army
work in various lands. This gathering
is creating a deep interest, and it is
hoped that a large crowd will assemble
to give welcome to the commissioner on
Friday night next.

As the Commissioner has to fulfil an
engagement at Calgary the week end, it
is necessary that the meeting should be
over by 6 o'clock, hence the early start.
Disinclined will make it convenient for
visitors from east of Blainmore to return
home by train.

The Soldier's Decalogue

Written by a Canadian who went to
the front with the Queen's University
Engineering corps, and is now an officer
in a South Canadian regiment.

The 1st Commandment: Thou shalt
challenge all persons approaching thee.

The 2nd Commandment: Thou shalt
not send any message, or any
kindness of any kind in the Heaven
above, or any drawing of any submarine
in the waters under the earth, for I, the
General, am a jealous God, visiting the
iniquities of the fathers with three
months' C.B., justifying every man
according to his doing.

The 3rd Commandment: Thou shalt
not use vain words, such as "Hello,"
"Goodbye," "Hello," "Goodbye," and so
on, for I am the Lord thy God, and I
will not be provoked by thy words.

The 4th Commandment: Thou shalt
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Spring and Summer Goods Just Arrived

Very latest patterns in Yard Goods,
including Crepe, Voiles, Prints,
Muskies, Silks, Satins, Etc.

Large Assortment Ladies' Blouses

Also new stock of Boots, Shoes, Hats,
Caps, Raincoats, Etc.

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—

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Special Rates for Board and

Room. Prompt Service

Local and General

Lieut. Spencer Kerby, son of Rev. Dr. Kerby, of Calgary, who was attached to the Royal Naval Air Service at the Dardanelles, is being invalided home.

A writ has been issued out of the Supreme Court by J. N. Rowell, against the Lethbridge Collieries at Passburg, for \$22,200.81, being principal and interest on a mortgage.

Col. Lyon, Capt. Verge, Buchanan and Fisher, and Lieut. Campbell, paid a visit to Coleman on Sunday evening. They were accompanied thither by J. F. Hunter and The Nascent.

Frederick Amos, of Fernie, has opened the Star studio on Sixth Avenue, where all forms of art receive proper retouching and a general photographic business will be transacted.

The officials of the License Department at Edmonton have clearly vindicated themselves from the charges made to the government through Dr. Stanley, member for High River.

A thorough-going policy on temperance and effective measures to prevent the squandering of the nation's resources on drink is the demand of the national free churches on the government.

If you fail to ask for coupons when trading with the following stores, it is like leaving money on the counter: F. M. Thompson Co., Blainmore Pharmacy, J. & F. Wylie, S. T. Humble, A. I. Blais.—Adv't.

In the spring Russia hopes to be able to put in the field an army of seven millions, including one million cavalry and over 10,000 pieces of artillery. Japan, United States and Britain are daily furnishing large quantities of rifles. A spring avalanche, in brief.

The police made a raid on Chitown at Cannore on Sunday afternoon, capturing 19 pig-tail frequenters of the place. One was convicted and fined \$25.00 and costs for hitting the pipe and the remaining 18 will stand trial for gambling.

"Fine Feathers" will not visit Coleman, so that if the theatre-going people of Coleman wish to see this popular play they will necessarily have to come to Blainmore. Editor Noonan's influence evidently did not pan out satisfactorily to all.

A 5-cent tea for the children's class will be held under the auspices of the Red Cross Society in the school house this Friday afternoon at four o'clock. Older friends of the children and of the society are cordially invited—five cents will admit you also, but larger contributions will be thankfully accepted.

Two brothers were discussing which smelled the stronger, a goat or a tramp. They agreed to leave it to the judge.

"All right," said the judge; "trot in your animals."

They brought in the goat and the judge fainted. Then they brought in the tramp and the goat fainted.

The Lethbridge Herald gives a good pointer: "If you can't wear khaki, wear overalls." Too many do we find who do not want to work, neither do they want to do the khaki. They are not producers. They are the poorest class of citizenship, and it is only natural to expect that one who will shirk from work will shirk from fighting.

Colonel Hoggett, the Canadian Red Cross Commissioner in London is so able to the Dominion headquarters, states that the treasury have given directions that all gifts parcels of dutiful goods sent to members of the Canadian contingents on duty in Great Britain admitted duty free. The contents of parcels should be declared. Further, no duty is declared by the French Government on any goods sent to the British forces in France.

Frank Happenings

BORN—On Wednesday, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barford, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Niven were visiting in Lethbridge last week end.

BORN—This morning, to Mr. and Mrs. David Lamont, a daughter.

Mrs. Hilton and Mrs. Gibson were visitors to Hillcrest on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. MacDonald spent a day or two in Lethbridge this week.

Mrs. D. S. Hope and daughter left for Flagstone on Wednesday, where they will reside in future.

Mr. Aschbacher, who has joined the 192nd Battalion, left for Lacombe on Monday, where he will place his children to remain during his absence.

Practically all the cement plants in Canada are now in operation to supply the increased demand for cement. It is thought that the local plant of the Rocky Mountain Cement Co. will resume operations in the course of a couple of weeks.

R. B. Patton, of the Blainmore Livery, appeared before Justice Dwyer at Coleman on Tuesday to answer to the charge of having committed a breach of the license law, by coming into Coleman and taking a passenger out without having obtained a license from the Town of Coleman. The accused was defended by L. H. Patton and the case was dismissed.

An order-in-council has been passed at Ottawa, extending the restrictions relating to trading with the enemy. The new order states that it will be a misdemeanor to trade with persons or bodies of persons not resident in an enemy country with whom it shall be claimed that Canadians shall not trade. The order indicates that there will be from time to time published lists of persons and firms with whom Canadians shall be barred from trading.

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Scene from "Fine Feathers" at the Blainmore Opera House one night only, Thurs., March 23rd



This is not a Moving Picture

The Pass Honor Roll
Local Men Wearing King's Uniform

In preparing the roll of honor for The Times, we have endeavored to give a full list of the boys who have answered the call of "Your King and Country Need You, Enlist Today." We hope anyone whose name is not on the list and who is entitled to a position on it, will come forward and give us their name and rank and help to swell The Pass Roll of Honor.

BLAIRMORE

Archer, William, private, 13th C.M.R.
Angus, A., private, 13th C.M.R.
Boyd, William, private, 13th C.M.R.
Barnes, William, private, 60th Battalion
Barnes, J., private, 60th Battalion
Bee, J. K., private, 82nd Battalion
Boscher, Reginald, France.
Cooper, John, private, 13th C.M.R.
Clibb, James M., private, 50th Bat.
Crook, Bruce, private, 60th Battalion
Evans, William J., trumpeter, 13th C.M.R.
Farmer, Arthur E., quarter-master sergeant, 3rd C.M.R.
Fisher, John, private, 54th Kootenay.
Fraser, David, sergeant, 13th C.M.R.
Fukla, Reginald, lance-corporal, 13th C.M.R.
Fisher, Arnold J., private, 54th Kootenay.
Finnemore, Edward T., lieutenant, 50th Bat.
Fulton, Alphonse, Italy.
Flickley, M., France.
Gauger, A. E., paymaster Engineer.
Graham, Remie, private, C.A.C.
Graham, J. W., staff-sergeant, major (war officer).
Gardner, Wilfred, private, 13th C.M.R.
Gustafson, Ien, France.
Gallon, Emil, France.
Hose, Walter Lee, lance-corporal, 10th Bat.
Hills, Frank E., Canadian Engineer.
Hills, Thomas W., private, 13th C.M.R.
Haywood, Arnold, private, 13th C.M.R.
Hove, Augustine, private, 13th C.M.R.
Huecks, Chas. F., sergeant, " "
Hove, Joseph, 50th Battalion.
Hugert, Ernest E., private, 60th Battalion.
Johnston, Ernest L., pte., 50th Bat.
Kemp, David, 1st Canadian Pioneer.
Kelly, George, 54th Kootenay Battalion.

FRANK

Buckley, Sgt., Major Nicholas, 1st Artillery
Bettiger, Septimus, 50th Battalion
Blais, Ernest, private, 13th C.M.R.
Barr, S., private, " "
Dunlop, Daniel, Jr., private, " "
Fraser, L., " "
Graham, Jack, private, " "
Hove, William, private, " "
Marsh, Thomas, private, " "
Patton, Samuel, private, " "
Parker, Fred, private, " "
Dickson, Robert, 12th, " "
Goodwin, Sgt. J. W., " "
Goodwin, William, private, " "
Goodwin, Luther, private, " "
Jolly, William, private, " "
Wallace Harvey, 82nd Battalion
Garrison, Bombardier P., 31st Battalion
Crook, Levi, " "
Robinson, Hughie, " "
Allott, Fred, 60th Battalion
Crawford, Thomas, " "
Dunlop, Daniel, Jr., " "
Emery, Alexander, " "
Gardner, Reginald, " "
Hedley, Fred, " "
Johnson, Alfred Lewis, " "
Little, John, " "
McIntosh, Joseph, " "
Wallace, Samuel Scott, " "

The Good Roads

Movement

Minutes of a meeting held at the Cosmopolitan Hotel, Blainmore, Wednesday, March 15th.

The meeting was called for the purpose of effecting an organization to wage a campaign for better roads throughout The Pass and for a road along the south side of the Crown Post Lake leading into British Columbia. Meeting was called to order by Mr. D. A. Sinclair and the following officers were elected for the coming year:

Hon. President—The Hon. Charles Stewart, Edmonton.

President—A. M. Morrison, Coleman.

Vice-President—J. Charlton, Blainmore.

G. O. E. Whitehead, Coleman; J. R. McDonald, Frank; R. S. McKillop, Blainmore.

Dr. A. E. Hill, Blainmore; Dr. D. C. McKenzie, W. L. Evans, Blainmore.

Secretary-Treasurer—R. W. Thompson, Frank.

Executive Committee—D. A. Sinclair, J. E. Gills, A. W. Robb, Blainmore.

G. A. Blair, H. Antle, Coleman; W. Simpson, Frank; G. F. Crooks, Blainmore.

Dr. A. E. Hill, Blainmore; Dr. D. C. McKenzie, W. L. Evans, Blainmore.

Moved and carried that the organization be given the name of the Crown Post Pass Highways Association, and that membership fee of \$5.00 be collected from all members.

Moved and carried that a general meeting be called for Wednesday afternoon, March 22nd, at the Cosmopolitan Hotel at 2 o'clock p.m., and all parties interested in good roads be invited to attend and become members of the Association.

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Local and General

See the great display of Ladies' Spring Hats and Millinery at the Blainmore Trading Co's.

Mrs. Robertson, of Calgary, will conduct a millinery sale at F. M. Thompson Co's store Saturday, the 18th. Call and inspect the goods.

The pupils of the local school waited upon their visiting principal, J. W. Verge, today, and presented him with a beautiful gold wrist watch.

The McLaren lumber yards are practically cleaned up now, and in order to meet the demand it is expected the mill will be in operation by April the 1st.

Mrs. C. Church is in Calgary visiting her sister, Mrs. Dr. Bell, who is leaving shortly for the Old Country with her husband, who has joined the A.M.C.

The prohibition bill, designated as the Liquor Act, was put through the various stages of legislative procedure without debate or comment, and will become a law just as it was voted on by the people at the referendum election.

The provincial estimates, presented to the legislature on Tuesday last, includes an appropriation of \$50,000 for the administration of the liquor act, which act was approved by the people in July and has now become law.

The institution of a Rebekah lodge at Bellevue is under consideration. Bellevue has the honor of having the most progressive Oddfellows lodge in the province of Alberta, having a membership of about 120 within eighteen months from the date of institution.

Provincial secretary of the Red Cross acknowledges receipt of \$150 from Blainmore branch, and \$132 from Coleman branch; also \$5.00 from each of the above mentioned branches towards the Ogden convalescent home fund, and \$363 from the Coleman branch to the general fund.

The provincial Red Cross depot acknowledges receipt of the following from the Blainmore branch: 10 bed jackets, 4 shirts, 120 colored handkerchiefs, 24 icebags, 10 slings, 6 pairs pyjamas, 2 bedside bags, 15 pairs socks, 84 surgical pads, 288 compresses, 288 gauze wraps, 30 triangular bandages, 22 surgical bandages, 3 pairs operation stockings, 6 bed jackets, 4 shirts, 120 colored handkerchiefs, 14 mummy bandages, 10 abdominal binders, 8 washbags, 162 rollers.

Rev. D. E. Cameron delivered a powerful oration as his final appeal from the pulpit of the Coleman Institutional church on Sunday night.

During his discourse he stated the several reasons why he had enlisted and why he had resigned the pastorate. He felt that the time had come when the call reached every able-bodied man who could possibly qualify for service or get away. He scored the individuals who could go and enlist, but who shirk clear of their duty and suffering from tongue fatigue spend their time warming the hotel radiators while their fellow man was spilling his life's blood on the battlefield to allow them to return to their families and friends at home. If such individuals did not hear the call and offer their services, he would not know them and never again would wish to speak to them. He knew of many such, but would not quote any names. He did not believe in preaching patriotism from the pulpit and not practice what he was preaching; therefore he felt that it was his duty to resign the preaching and put his whole heart and what soul he had towards fighting for the national flag.

Mr. Cameron's stay in Coleman has been a very brief one, but during that short period he has won a high place in the hearts of the good people of that town. He is one of the most zealous workers of the Presbyterian Church in the West and has been very highly esteemed in every community which he has been called to work.

Fernie Mountain Supply Co.

Wholesale Liquor Dealers

Agents for Fernie Beer

Phone 83

Frank, ;; Alberta

AUDITORS' REPORT

Town of Blairmore, Alberta

Report and Financial Statements For The Year Ended 31st December, 1915

HIS WORSHIP THE MAYOR
AND COUNCILLORS
The Corporation of The
Town of Blairmore,
Blairmore, Alberta
Gentlemen:

We have in accordance with Sections 51 and 53 (2) of the Town Act, examined and audited the Books and Vouchers of the Town of Blairmore, Alberta, for the year ended 31st December, 1915, and beg to submit the following statements:

Balance Sheet of Debenture

Funds—General
Balance Sheet of Taxation
and Public Utility's Revenue
Funds—General.
Revenue & Expenditure Account—General.

Revenue & Expenditure Account—Waterworks
Statement of Bonded Debt.
All our requirements as Auditors have been complied with.

We have to report that the Balance Sheets atached hereto are signed by us, together with the relative Appendices thereto

are in our opinion properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Town affairs according to the best of our information and the explanations given to us and as shown by the Books of the Town.

We desire to impress upon the Council the necessity of taking up the question of Depreciation upon a proper and sound basis and to deal with this matter in the preparation of the Estimates. The only provision being taken care of

in this way at present is the Depenture Principal repayments. This question is a vital one which should not be treated in the haphazard manner characterising it in the past. We have purposely omitted making any arbitrary allowances for this purpose in the Statements herein referred to.
Reported by
W. A. HENDERSON & CO.,
Chartered Accountants.
Ardia Building,
Lethbridge, Alberta.
9th February, 1916.

| ASSETS | |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| Waterworks System | \$54,507.08 |
| Fire Hall Site | 1,365.00 |
| Fire Equipment | 1,003.92 |
| Debenture Discounts | 4,500.00 |
| Funds unexpended | |
| Due by "Taxation Fund" | \$402.92 |
| Waterworks System | 2,631.03 |
| Fire Hall Site and Equipment | |
| | 2,431.00 |
| | \$61,500.00 |

This is the Balance Sheet referred to in our Report of this date
W. A. HENDERSON & CO.,
Chartered Accountants.
Auditors to the Corporation of the Town of Blairmore.
Ardia Building,
Lethbridge, Alberta,
9th February, 1916.

| LIABILITIES | |
|------------------------------------|-------------|
| Bonded Debt: As per Appendix No. 1 | \$64,500.00 |
| Deduct: Principal redeemed | 4,928.73 |
| | 59,571.27 |
| Depreciation Reserve (D.P.) | |
| Bonded Principal redeemed | 4,928.73 |
| | \$61,500.00 |

Balance Sheet as at 31st December, 1915 Taxation and Public Utility's Revenue Fund.

| ASSETS | |
|---|------------|
| Expenditure Pending Capitalization By Debenture Issue: | |
| Street Grading | \$1,666.00 |
| River Cribbing | 243.40 |
| Street Lamps | 270.00 |
| Plank Sidewalks | 156.73 |
| Cemetery | \$103.50 |
| Less: Receipts, 5.00 | 88.50 |
| Bridge—Dearborn Street | 76.78 |
| | 1,912.31 |
| Inventories: | |
| Office Furniture | 264.85 |
| Tools and Chattels (Public Works) | 96.75 |
| Tools and Chattels (Waterworks) | 4.25 |
| Police Equipment | 191.79 |
| | 557.64 |
| Sundry Debtors: | |
| Arrears of Taxes 1914 and Prior | 10,717.93 |
| 1915 Taxes | 8,787.47 |
| Water Consumers | 403.95 |
| F. W. Doubt | 18.85 |
| J. B. Irwin | 211.00 |
| F. P. Snyder | 147.55 |
| | 20,287.65 |
| Cash: | |
| In Union Bank of Canada | 300.34 |
| Less: Outstanding Cheques | 94.38 |
| | 205.96 |
| In Hands of Treasurer | 1,166.39 |
| | 1,402.35 |
| | 21,590.96 |

This is the Balance Sheet referred to in our Report of this date
W. A. HENDERSON & CO.,
Chartered Accountants

| LIABILITIES | |
|--|------------|
| Sundry Creditors: | |
| School District No. 628 | \$8,071.15 |
| Union Bank of Canada Note | 4,000.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 35.45 |
| Debenture Interest Accrued: | |
| Water | 2,243.00 |
| General | 513.05 |
| | 2,756.05 |
| | 15,225.65 |
| Debenture Funds: | |
| Funds Unexpended (as above) | 2,431.00 |
| Depreciation Reserve: | |
| Fire Hall Site and Equipment | 316.88 |
| Waterworks System | 66.56 |
| Office Furniture | 49.96 |
| Police Equipment | 31.69 |
| Plank Sidewalks | 31.34 |
| Street Lamps | 27.00 |
| Public Works Tools | 12.53 |
| | 565.96 |
| Town of Blairmore—Surplus: | |
| As per last Balance Sheet | 3,563.72 |
| Less: Sundry Adjustments | 305.86 |
| | 3,257.86 |
| Add: Surplus for year per Rev and Exp Account, 4,022.74 | |
| Less: Deficit Revenue per Waterworks Rev. and Exp. Account, 1,643.26 | 2,379.48 |
| | 5,637.34 |
| | 21,590.95 |

Bellevue Happenings

The Dugdale family have moved back from Frank.

E. W. Christie has been laid up with rheumatism.

Mr. James Haddad is visiting her parents at Fernie.

Miss Victoria Kafoury, of Fernie, is visiting her sister in Bellevue.

Fred Chappell has moved into the house known as the old hospital.

Mr. Vessa and son left for their homestead near Medicine Hat this week.

Mr. Carney, of Cowley, was visiting her daughter here during the week.

R. Evans has moved his family to Coleman, where he has secured a position.

R. Connolly has returned from Pincher Creek, where he spent several days.

Rev. Mr. Rudd, of Livingston, occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church on Sunday last.

Quite a number of Bellevue I.O.O.F. members took in the dance at Coleman last Friday night.

Bill Matheson, one of Bellevue's old-timers, was here during the week renewing acquaintances.

Hermon Varley and family left this week for the coast, where they intend making their home for the future.

President W. Graham was in camp on Sunday and Monday on business concerning District 18, U.M.W. of A.

Barney Orin, who has been suffering from asthma for some time, left this week for Dallas, Texas, where he hopes to find relief.

W. Crawford underwent an operation at the hospital on Wednesday for the foot which he broke in the mine some time ago.

W. W. Nicholson, of the Western Federation of Miners, addressed a meeting in the Workers' hall on Sunday afternoon on "Consolidation of Labor."

The vote taken by the local union this week resulted in 16 against and 88 for the re-publication of the District Ledger, the official organ of District 18.

W. Fraser has gathered up the fragments of his Kootenay restaurant, which was blown down recently. He intends putting up a one-storey building on the same site.

Two charges for breaches of the Mues Act were tried here during the week, one a man from Hillcroft and the other from Bellevue. The Hillcroft man was fined \$25 and costs. The Bellevue case was dismissed.

Rev. Arthur Barner, superintendent of Methodist missions, of Calgary, will preach at the missionary anniversary at the Bellevue Methodist church on Sunday night. A collection will be taken for missions.

The Provincial Red Cross depot acknowledges receipt of the following from the Bellevue branch—84 triangular bandages, 18 bedside bags, 18 surgical shirts, 66 T bandages, 18 pairs of socks, 1 hot water bottle cover, 6 shirts, 6 ice bags, 18 washrags, 28 white handkerchiefs, 8 pairs of pyjamas, 24 many-tailed bandages, 24 bed pads.

Corst. Radcliff, of the local detachment, met with a rather serious accident last week end when his horse bolted near the slide, throwing him off the saddle and inflicting a wide gash across the top of his head from contact with a stone. Twenty-four stitches were necessary to close up the wound. He is doing as well as can be expected and is under the treatment of Dr. Mackenzie at the local hospital.

Another verdict of "murder" has been rendered against the kaiser. Old Bill will be a professional at dying deaths after this.

For Sale

Frank Hotel

Hotel Building
Hotel Fixtures, including
Bar Fixtures
Barber Shop Fixtures
Bathroom Fixtures
Steam Heat Fixtures
Hotel Range
All Blankets and Bedding
Hotel Furniture
Other Furniture, including Piano.

Apply to
A. Manuel, Frank, Alta.

A Representative Wanted
at once for
BLAIRMORE
and district for the

Old Reliable Tomkat Nurseries.

Choice list of hardy-tender varieties, recommended by the Western Experiment Station, available for MANTOBA, SASKATCHEWAN and ALBERTA.

Hybrid Apples, Native Plums, Russian Cherries, Small Fruits, Seed Potatoes, Hardy Trees for Windbreaks and Shelter Belts, Liberal Terms. Booklets for mail. Exclusive Territory. Write now for particulars.

STONE & WELLINGTON,
TORONTO - ONTARIO

Take Notice

That the following goods and chattels will be offered for sale either privately or by tender, on and after the 10th day of January, 1916.

7 Horses—Tom, Dick, Humble, Dolly, Pinto, White and Bess.

Implement—
1 Baler
1 Potato Fow
1 Binder
2 Mowing Machines
1 Rake
1 Sulk Plow
1 Reaping Plow
1 Shovel Plow
1 Set Harrows
1 Disc
2 Hay Rakes
1 Wagon
1 Rimming Gear
1 Set Bob Sleigh
1 Saddle Sleigh
1 Light Sleigh, without pole
1 Democrat
1 Light Buggy
1 Heavy Set Harness
1 Medium Set Harness
1 Light Set Harness
1 Single Set Harness
2 Side Plow Harness
8 Leather Halters
2 Saddle Saddles
2 Bridles

Sundry Tools, such as meat-saws, knives, ice-cutting outfit, garden stuff.

100 Fowl
Information concerning prices for the whole amount, or any part of the above, can be obtained from the Imperial Canadian Trust Company, Limited, Calgary, Alberta, or from L. H. Putnam, their Solicitor, Blairmore, Alberta.

For Sale or Rent
Three Quarter Sections, known as the Hart Ranch, at or near Bonaville. For further information apply to the Imperial Canadian Trust Company, Limited, Calgary, Alberta, or to L. H. Putnam, their Solicitor, Blairmore, Alberta.

House and Store, at Bellevue, belonging to The Hart Estate. For further information apply to the Imperial Canadian Trust Company, Limited, Calgary, Alberta, or to L. H. Putnam, their Solicitor, Blairmore, Alberta.

The burning of the parliament buildings at Ottawa has been the means of abolishing the bar of the Commons. In the present quarters there is no room for such a luxury, and it is doubtful if the new parliament building will have such equipment.

"Fine Feathers" An All Star Cast

The second United Producing Company's guaranteed attraction to be offered at the opera house, Blairmore, can only, Thursday, March 2nd, bid well to even outclass their production of "Within The Law." It is Eugene Walter's great masterpiece, "Fine Feathers," and will be offered by an all star cast brought direct from New York for this particular attraction. The cast is headed by Jean Babcock, a well-known metropolitan star, who portrays the character of the ambitious and extravagant wife. Miss Babcock was considered one of the leading stage beauties of New York, and is one of the highest salaried artists that has been offered the theatre of Western Canada. She is very ably supported by

Jack Carrington as "Bob Reynolds," the husband who listens to the complaints of his discontented spouse and accepts the bribe offered by "Brand," which eventually leads to his downfall. Katherine Bond and Ruth Bettie are well-known actresses that give the comedy of the play, and were picked particularly for their experience along these lines. Harry Hayden and Lawrence Foster are two capable stars that round out the thorough case over offered to theatre patrons in Social scenery, effects, properties, in fact every detail possible has been considered that might add to the artistic value of the production. It will prove to be the most convincing, gripping and interesting play offered in years. Tickets on sale at W. A. Beebe's office.

The Boy You Raised

You didn't raise your boy to be a soldier.
Nor yet to shoot another mother's son;
But, God forbid that he should stand so idly.
And see his mother slaughtered by the Hun.
You didn't raise your boy to be a soldier.
You taught him not to use the deadly gun.
Yet you'd rather he had died when just a baby.
Than grow up far too proud to shoot the Hun.
You didn't raise your boy to be a soldier.
Nor did you think he would be one.

Thank God his veins with British blood are running
And he has gone to slay the tyrannizing Hun.
You didn't raise your boy to be a soldier.
But he has proved a true, brave, British son.
And should he die upon the field of battle,
You'll be proud to know he helped, when victory's won.
Be proud you've raised a boy who is a soldier.
Defending now the honor of his race.
And should he fall while only thus defending.
Heaven he'll fill a highly place.
—Mr. James K. Adam,
Drumheller, Alberta.

OF LOCAL AND GENERAL INTEREST

Lieut. D. Campbell is on a brief visit to his home in Calgary.

The tongue of the Presbyterian church dropped out on Sunday last.

The deficit of the Saskatchewan government for the year is nearly \$3,000,000.

Great Britain is now using more than one-third of all the exports of the United States.

There are now thirteen booze sellers enjoying a period of servitude at Truro, Nova Scotia.

Miss Grace Allison, of Pincher Creek, has accepted a position in the office of the H. J. Forest Collieries Co.

The Russians are fully determined to Bag Dad. Unlike the Huns, whose main object is the instant.

For the three months ending March 8th, Coal Creek and Fernie gave \$1344.17 to the patriotic funds.

Supt. Walker, of the C.P.R., who is now contesting at Tacoma, Wash., will return to his duties on April 1st.

Rev. David Ross, of First Baptist church, Lethbridge, has announced his impending resignation from that pastorate.

A number of local people journeyed to Coleman on Sunday evening last to hear Rev. D. E. Cameron's farewell sermon.

This is house cleaning time and it looks as if there is much to do; that line in the four provinces from a political point of view.

A vote on the question of church union, taken at the annual meeting of the presbytery of Quebec, registered a majority against union.

A number of privates of the 13th O.M.E., who were spending a few days in town, returned to "The Hat" on Sunday night's train.

Misses Bertha and Alice Cleland, of Cowley, attended the Oddfellows' ball at Coleman on Friday night and returned home Sunday evening.

So many aeroplanes were brought down by the French in the region of Verdun a few days ago, that one paper referred to it as "Germany is falling."

A bill enabling the electors to adopt a measure providing for prohibition of the liquor traffic will be brought into the New Brunswick house.

Fernie's school estimates for 1916 provide the sum of \$22,330.00 for teachers' salaries. Of this amount the government of British Columbia will pay \$11,655.00.

John Wilson, advance agent for "Fine Feathers," was in town on Saturday, making arrangements for the appearance of his company here on March 23rd.

Figures published show that the total consumption of alcoholic liquors during 1915 in the United Kingdom was 92 per cent. of that of the previous year, a drop of 8 per cent.

PICKED UP—A brown gentleman's glove. Will the young gentleman who accompanied the young gentleman who lost that glove please call at The Enterprise office and prove the property.

Private Fred Rhodes, of Macleod, a soldier of the "kitties" 113th battalion, was found dead in his bunk at the Lethbridge barracks on Thursday last. Death was due to natural causes. The deceased was formerly chief of police at Macleod, and leaves a wife and family there.

The 192nd battalion is now considerably beyond the 300 mark.

A Japanese fleet has arrived in the Mediterranean to protect Japanese shipping.

The regular meeting of the town council will take place on Thursday night next.

Private A. Agnew, of the 13th O.M.E., spent the past week with friends in Blairmore.

Mrs. L. C. Gales and children left for Lethbridge last night, where they will reside in future.

Send to me for free samples, Wheat and Chicken Feed, at \$1.00 per hundred pounds, to be Cowley packed.—C. H. LOWELL.

Cardston's town constable, D. W. Card, has been fined for selling liquor, in that he exceeded his duty.

Preparedness also means having some small change in your pocket when the church collection plate is used.

Miss McKinney, who has accepted a position on the Frank teaching staff, arrived on Monday of this week.

Wu Kee, L. H. Putnam, Chiu Hing and several other Chinamen will join the Kitter, weather permitting.

A recruiting officer in Toronto says that hereafter commissions will be granted only to those who enlist as privates.

Sergt. James R. Irwin, of the 2nd American Legion, Calgary, was called to Toronto last week owing to the death of his father.

Last month's High River school report shows that two Chinese boys stand at the head of their respective classes for the month.

The United States government has decided to get Villa dead or alive, and an army of scouts is already treading on Mexican soil.

Over 100,000 women up to now have taken the places of men in British industrial life, releasing as many men for service in the army.

Brigadier-General Cruikshank declares himself as opposed to slot machines and all other gambling devices in quarters or recreation rooms.

The three McCutcheon brothers have been acquitted of the charges preferred against them, but it is expected that new charges will be preferred.

Charles Davis, caretaker of the cemetery at Stratford, Ontario, reported dead in a grave he was digging. He was probably a Christian scientist.

Teacher (angrily): "Why don't you answer the question, Bobby?" His brother Tommy (answering for him): "Please, miss, he's got a peppermint in his speech."

Rossland's chief of police has just notified the city merchants that drawing for prizes and guessing contests in connection with retail business was illegal.

Rev. Illius Wright, of Pincher Creek, will occupy the pulpit of the Institutional church at Coleman on Sunday night next, and will declare that pulpit vacant.

Rev. D. Watkins-Jones, formerly rector of St. Alban's Anglican church, Coleman, was the recipient of three very useful and handsome gifts on his leaving Macleod for the Old Country, in the shape of a purse of gold from the Girls' Friendly Society and friends, a cheque from the members of the Women's Guild, and a travelling bag from the teachers and scholars of the Macleod Sunday School.

Prohibition was carried in Manitoba by a majority of more than two to one.

It is believed that Germany's bottled-up fleet is ready to contest the supremacy of Britain.

Alex. Bryden came up from New Dayton on Wednesday. Mr. Bryden has been slightly under the weather lately.

An effort is being made to raise two half-breed battalions in Northern Alberta.

The total pay of the Trail smelter on February 10th was slightly over \$112,000.

The fifth son of the Kaiser, Prince Joachim, has been married to a daughter of Prince Edward, of Anhalt.

The output of the Frank mine yesterday last reached 904 tons, the record.

Blairmore has a good opening for a thoroughly competent painter and decorator.

Miss Dora Ross, daughter of Rev. David Ross, Lethbridge, is on an extended visit to New York.

Lord Shaughnessy says that the recruiting of half a million men will drain the country of labor.

Over in England parents are being prosecuted for allowing children under age to enter coal mines.

Messrs. James and Roger Haddad, of Bellevue, were in town on Sunday, guests of F. S. Kafoury.

The 50th Battalion, at full strength, was to have crossed over to France last week a day earlier in action.

Private Rhodes, of Macleod, whose death occurred at Lethbridge last week, was a veteran of the rebellion of '96.

Since our last issue we have received seven new subscriptions from Coleman and five from somewhere in France.

Am going out of grade cows into purebred milk cows, so that I have 30 full milk cows to sell.—C. H. LOWELL, Cowley.

Clarence R. Pearson arrived from Banff on Wednesday to take charge of the local school and assumed his new duties that date.

During the month of January in Canada recruits came along at the rate of 1000 men a day. This is wonderful, considering that up to the end of the year Canada had enlisted 210,000 men.

Auditors' Report, Cont'd

The Corporation of The Town of Blairmore

Revenue and Expenditure Account for the Year Ended 31st December, 1915

EXPENDITURE

| | | |
|--|----------|-------------|
| To Public Works | | |
| Street Maintenance | 57 00 | |
| Sidewalk Repairs | 36 45 | |
| General Expenses | 71 60 | |
| | | 145 05 |
| To Health and Relief | | |
| Salaries | 282 05 | |
| Relief | 72 30 | |
| General Expenses | 116 00 | |
| | | 470 35 |
| To Fire | | |
| Hydrant Rentals | 114 00 | |
| General Expenses | 925 80 | |
| | 20 25 | |
| | | 1,059 25 |
| To Licenses and Police | | |
| Wages and Uniforms | 308 00 | |
| Supplies | 88 79 | |
| General Expenses | 77 74 | |
| | | 419 53 |
| To Finance | | |
| School District No. 128 | 7,379 79 | |
| Street Lighting | 638 80 | |
| Salaries | 6,31 80 | |
| Interest, Dividend and Exchange | | |
| (including Debenture Discount \$720 00) | 1,263 79 | |
| Printing, Stationery and Advertising | 118 97 | |
| Legal Expenses | 10 00 | |
| Town Office Repairs | 17 00 | |
| General Expenses | 418 57 | |
| Debenture Interest | 860 10 | |
| | | 11,478 82 |
| To Depreciation | | |
| Debenture Principal (retained) | 159 60 | |
| | | 13,728 40 |
| To Balance | | |
| Net Revenue for year carried to Town General Surplus | 4,022 74 | |
| | | \$17,745 81 |

REVENUE

| | | |
|-------------------------------|----------|-------------|
| By Licenses and Police | | |
| Licenses | 4 9 15 | |
| Dog Taxes | 111 00 | |
| Fines | 22 00 | |
| House | 2 00 | |
| | | 654 65 |
| By Finance | | |
| 1915 Taxation Town | 9 711 40 | |
| 1915 Taxation School | 7 279 79 | |
| | | 17, 919 19 |
| | | \$17,745 81 |

The Corporation of the Town of Blairmore, Alberta

WATERWORKS DEPARTMENT

Revenue and Expenditure Account For The Year Ended 31st December, 1915

EXPENDITURES

| | | |
|-------------------------------|----------|------------|
| To Operating Expenses: | | |
| Wages | 591 75 | |
| Pipe Line Repairs | 320 27 | |
| Hydrant Repairs | 535 94 | |
| House Connection Repairs | 34 85 | |
| Office Expenses | 27 50 | |
| Miscellaneous Expenses | 185 75 | |
| Bad Debts | 104 90 | |
| | | 1,806 96 |
| To Fixed Charges: | | |
| Debenture Interest | 2,406 67 | |
| Debenture Principal | 1,709 16 | |
| | | 4,115 83 |
| | | \$6,706 79 |

REVENUE

| | | |
|---|----------|------------|
| By Earnings: | | |
| Water Rates | 5,138 58 | |
| Hydrant Rentals | 925 00 | |
| | | 4,063 58 |
| By Balance: | | |
| Deficit for year, carried to Town General Surplus | 1,643 26 | |
| | | \$5,706 79 |

The Corporation of The Town of Blairmore

STATEMENT OF BONDED DEBT

| By-Law No. | Date of Issue | Purpose | Term | Rate | Amount | Annual Paym't | Am't Redeemed | Outst'd Bal. |
|------------|---------------|-------------------------|------|------|-------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|
| 1. | Jan. 9, 1912 | Waterworks | 20 | 5% | 40,000.00 | 3,347.50 | 5,694.67 | 34,305.33 |
| 2. | Jan. 9, 1912 | Fire Hall and Equipment | 20 | 5% | 5,000.00 | 418.40 | 454.26 | 4,545.74 |
| 3. | Aug. 9, 1913 | Waterworks Extension | 30 | 0 | 15,000.00 | 1,507.85 | 840.18 | 14,159.82 |
| 3b. | Aug. 16, 1915 | Debenture Discount | 20 | 0 | 4,500.00 | | | 4,500.00 |
| | | | | | \$64,500.00 | | \$4,099.73 | \$59,571.27 |